

AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS

1. to 46. (Canceled)

47. (Currently Amended) A method of providing digital image service, the method comprising:

receiving digital image data from a removable storage media via an interface;
storing the received digital image data in an electronic image database;
receiving advertising information from a remote server via a network;
storing the received advertising information in an electronic advertising database;
receiving a request at a computer for displaying a service menu;
responsive to the request, sending the digital image data in the electronic image database and the advertising information in the electronic advertising database to the computer; and
displaying, in the service menu on a display of the computer, an image based on the digital image data, an [[and]] advertisement based on the advertising information, and one or more services for printing in the service menu for offering to print the image data.

48. (Currently Amended) A method according to Claim 47, wherein the advertisement based on the advertising information is displayed in a menu for viewing a thumbnail image corresponding to image data.

49. (Previously Presented) A method according to Claim 47, wherein the advertisement based on the advertising information is displayed in a menu for selecting image data and specifying a size and a volume of print for each of the selected image data.

50. (Previously Presented) A method according to Claim 47, wherein the advertisement based on the advertising information is displayed in a menu for generating a storage medium containing the selected image data.

51. (Currently Amended) A method according to Claim 47, wherein the digital image data is captured and stored on the further comprising the step of obtaining the image data from a removable storage medium by in a digital camera, wherein the obtained image data is stored in the image database.

52. (Currently Amended) A computer system for providing digital image service, the system comprising:

an electronic image database for storing advertising information
digital image data received from a removable storage medium;
an electronic advertising database for storing advertising information
received from a remote server; and

a computer for receiving a request at a computer for displaying a service menu, and for sending, responsive to the request, the digital image data in the electronic image database and the advertising information in the electronic advertising database to display, in the service menu on a display of the computer, an image based on the digital

image data, an [[and]] advertisement based on the advertising information, and one or more services for printing in the service menu for offering to print the image data.

53. (New) A method according to Claim 47, wherein the digital image data and advertising information are sent to the computer via a cable head end.

54. (New) A computer system according to Claim 52, wherein the digital image data and advertising information are sent to the computer via a cable head end.